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In re Patent Application of:
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For: PORTABLE DEVICE DISPLAYING AN
IMAGE PROVIDED BY PHOTOGRAPHING

Examiner: N. A. Maung

COMMENTS ON THE EXAMINER'S REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

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Sir:

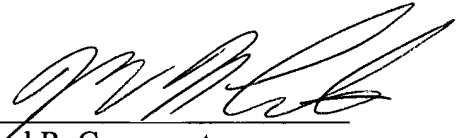
While Applicants appreciate the allowance of this application, Applicants do have comments on the Examiner's Reasons for Allowance as follows. Specifically, the Reasons for Allowance in regards to claim 19 misquotes claim language. Even more specifically, on page 7 of the Reasons for Allowance, a "photographing means" is referenced but claim 19 utilizes the term "camera portion". It appears that minor typographical errors have been made in the Reasons for Allowance which changes the term "camera portion" to "photographing means". Because of the potential effect of these typographical errors, particularly the erroneous application of 35 U.S.C. §112, 6th paragraph, Applicants wish to set the record straight regarding the Reasons for Allowance for independent claim 19.

Furthermore, to the extent that the reasons have any other variations from the precise claim language such variations should not be utilized to interpret the claims or effect their scope. Still further, any emphasis that appears in the Reasons for Allowance such as the underlining should not be taken as a heightened importance as to any claim term or phrase. In other words, the claims are considered patentable to the full combination of elements recited therein and not because of any one particular feature.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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